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The American Charles Warren Stoddard (1843–1909) wrote quite popular travel books, especially those about Polynesia. *South-Sea Idyls* (1873) was his most popular book. A series of letters to a friend, "They are," wrote William Dean Howells, "the lightest, sweetest, wildest, freshest things that were ever written about the life of that summer ocean."

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